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# Mail Stop Amendment

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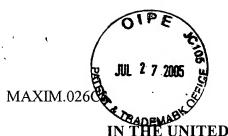
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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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### Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 25, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.